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Inventor or Application Identifier:

**José A. Sobrado, et al.**

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application entitled:

**GUIDED BUYING DECISION SUPPORT IN AN ELECTRONIC  
MARKETPLACE ENVIRONMENT**

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- X   Specification, Claims and Abstract (   36   Total Pages)
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- X   This application claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/238,307 filed October 5, 2000.

Applicant is:

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☐ Small Entity

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